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Monday, March 6th, "EYE DAY" at Bebb's Jewelry Store

SHORT LOCAL STORIES

Being a Lot of Interesting Items You Probably Did Not Know.

Mrs. Pritchett White went to St. Louis Monday for several days stay.

Miss Bess Montgomery was a Hannibal visitor Monday afternoon.

Miss Anna Finks, of Quincy, was the guest of her mother in this city from Saturday to Monday.

Miss Vallie Utterdack went to Hannibal Monday for several days stay.

Miss M. Wilson, of Spalding, was the guest of R. L. Wilson and wife Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Scott, of Hannibal, was a guest at the home of F. M. Wilson's several days last week.

Miss Emma Garner attended the funeral, of Hermann Drescher in Palmyra, Wednesday.

Mrs. Dora Davis, of Pilot Grove, was in this city Monday enroute to Quincy for several days visit.

Miss Laura Bell went to New London Tuesday for several days visit with friends.

G. Walker, of Quincy, was the guest of Mrs. Stone near Warren from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Williams went to Shelby Sunday for several days visit with her uncles Messrs. Frank and Martin Buckman.

The best dollar overall in all the country to be had at Hanly & Green's. No advance in price, no deduction quality.

T. A. Taylor, wife and daughter, Lillian, who have been spending the winter in Memphis, Tenn., arrived Friday night for a stay with their daughter, Mrs. Earle Bohon.

Mr. Harry Bickers and wife, of Mt. Sterling Ill., are spending a few days in Monroe. The groom is Mrs. O. C. Webb's Bro. and we wish them a long and happy journey through life.

V. C. Spaulding, of Neosha Mo., was here the last of the week visiting with relatives and friends. He accompanied his mother, Mrs. E. A. Morrison home who has been visiting him the past three months.

Thirty-one horses were burned to death in Brookfield a few nights ago, when a livery stable burned. Twenty-nine of the horses belonged to Geo. Storms, who two years ago lost eleven horses in a fire. The fire is thought to have been of incendiary origin.

Little Miss Ethel Mae Hagan was hostess to her sewing club Saturday afternoon at the home of her grandmother Mrs. W. R. Yates. The little folks sewed and played games after which a two course luncheon was served.

Those present were: Dorothy Bebb, LaPearl and Lavern Buckman, Mary Dubray, Myrtle Hoare, Bessie Mae James, Eileen McFarland, Loretta and Mary Mudd, Marguerite Pierceall, Edna and Lucy Saunders, Marguerite and Leona Pierceall, Gertrude VanMarter, Laura and Sylvia Williams and Anna Mae Vivian and Elizabeth Yates.

The new long visso spring caps for the young fellows now being shown at Hanly & Green's.

Honor Roll For February.

First Grade.

Carolyn Bricker, Mary Frances Cranston, Earl Harris, Walter May, Ruth McFarland, Harold Ransdale, Charlabel Sharp, Lillian Tuley, Edith Walker, Mildred Wade, Gerald McIntyre.

Second Grade.

Miles Abel, Lillian Ballard, Thelma Baynum, Martha Elizabeth Conway, Mary Lewis Gott, Dona Fern George, Naomi James, Elizabeth Rae Nelson, Blanche Scobee, Eileen Tuley, Frances Willard, Gladys Young.

Third Grade.

Ada Ruth Dawson, Joe Longmire, Dorothy Jackson, Louise Riley.

Fourth Grade.

Marie Nash, Shields McClintic, Virginia James, Judith Ellen Johnson, Eugene Jarman, Ferol Abel, Annetta Faye Johnson, Thelma George, Harold Hord.

Sixth Grade.

Gladys Thrift, Russell Yowell, Bessie Dawson, Helen Caplinger, Jack Wade, Virginia Nash.

Seventh Grade.

Ramona McIntyre, Mabel Riley, Bessie May James, Bobs Cranston, Hattie Proctor.

Eighth Grade.

Dorothy Bixler, Gladys Clark, Ethelyn Cline, Helen Delaney, Marie Humphrey, Sterling Alexander, Jim Nesbit.

Progressives Attention!

We are still in the saddle and all those in sympathy with the principles of the Progressive Party as stated in their Platform adopted at Chicago in 1912 are urged to show their faith and be present at a Mass Convention to be held in Paris on Saturday March 4th at 2 p. m. to select delegates to State Convention and attend to other necessary business.

H. C. Luttrell,
Chairman.

For Sale—Registered, Aberdeen Angus yearling bulls.—J. H. Bell. 16

You will look a long time before finding as pretty a line of boys caps as Hanly & Green are showing.

"German Side Of The War" In 5 acts reel genuine fresh from the Battle fields Gem Thursday March 8th. 10c.

Mrs. D. J. Ebey was called to Elkhart Ill. Friday by the death of her brother-in-law, Henry Stahl. Mrs. Stahl died last October.

For Sale.

5 span coming 4 year old mules. Also some White Seed Oats.—E. D. Crawford Rt. 2. Mutual Phone, Monroe City, Mo. 3-9

U. D. C. Notice.

The John L. Owen Chapter of U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. Carroll Jackson Monday March the 6th, instead of Wednesday March 8th.

"Graustark" with Francis Bushman In 6 acts, Hitchcocks 2 reel comedy 8 reels. Friday March 10th. Gem 15 and 25c. Secure your seats now avoid the rush many seats spoke for. Matinee 2:30. Nite 7 o'clock.

J. C. Piersol returned Sunday from Rochester Minn. where he has been treated by Mayo Bros. The surgeons did not deem it wise to operate at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Piersol will leave, probably next week, for Wenatchee, Wash. to visit his son Robert Piersol and family.

Birthday Party.

Class No. 6 of the Methodist church were pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Margaret Smith Friday evening. The occasion being in honor of Miss Smith's and Miss Mary Kelley's birthday. The house looked pretty in the class colors of green and white with their initials of L. F. hanging from the chandeliers. Fifteen members including their teacher Miss Etta Bodkins were present and spent the evening in a social way including games, music and a guessing contest. Misses Smith and Kelley were presented with a hand painted plate as a token of remembrance from the class. Miss Mary Lucy Hornback presented the gifts with a poem, Miss Etta Bodkins responding with a verse of her own composition. Delicious fruit salad and cake were served. Little flags of patriotic colors were given as favors. An enjoyable evening was spent.

School Notes.

The regular meeting of the High School Literary will be held at the Auditorium, Thursday Mar. 2 at 8 o'clock sharp. The program will be music by the Orchestra and a play by the Juniors entitled "Lost—A Chaperon." Cast of characters are: George Higgins, Host of Boys' Camp - Paul Maddox, Jack Abbott - Eldred Thielhoff, Fred Lawton - Monroe Jeff, Raymond Fitzhenry, Travis Willis, Tom Crosby - Harry Hedburg, Dick Norton - Russel Longmire, Marjorie Tyndall, Hostess of the Girls' Camp - Lois Carr, Alice Bennett - Frances Rouse, Agnes Arvella Bates, Jessie Shank, Ruth French - Lucille Forsythe, Blanche Westcott - Mary Dirigo, Mrs. Higgins, Lost Chaperon - Ethel Batty, Mrs. Sparrow, Vegetable Vender - May Turnbull, Mandy and Lizzie Sparrow - Alpha Elzea, Helen Moss, Sparrow Twins - Aileen Orr, Aurelia Ely.

Act 1 Girls' Camp at Sherwood, Me. Great consternation prevails because Chaperon fails to appear on time.

Act 2 Boys' Camp same place on opposite side of lake. Girl's visit camp in hopes of inducing boys to play pranks on other girls who are not scared without chaperon.

Act 3 Girls camp. Prank played. Unexpected results.

The Radio Club has been receiving the time and weather reports from Arlington Virginia which are posted daily in the study hall. Results from numerous Basket ball games have also been received.

Everett Lawson has rented the business house just south of the First Baptist Church. He has a splendid line of electrical supplies and is ready for business. He has had training and experience in this work and is ready to do satisfactory work.

For Sale.

Several good residence properties at bargains, good terms.

A. S. Jayne & Son

See Green & Tooley before you buy your Clover and Timothy seed

Bobs Cranston, agent for Weems Laundry. Leave at Hanly & Green's store. Shipments Monday night. 3-2

Celebrated Washington's Birthday

Miss Stella Lawson was hostess to the members of the Senior Epworth League of the Methodist church, at her home Thursday evening.

The house looked beautiful, being decorated in flags and other patriotic decorations a cherry tree with a large wooden hatchet formed a most attractive centerpiece on the dining table.

A short business session formed the first part of the evening opening with a song followed by a scripture reading by Mrs. Node Green.

Following this there was a musical program including several selections on the piano.

A George Washington play which was given under the direction of Miss Carolyn Larson proved very interesting. Several contests were also indulged in and created a great deal of fun.

The guests were then invited to the dining room where the hostess served delicious cherry ice, wafers and mints.

There was some sixty guests present and when they departed for their homes at a late hour they declared Miss Lawson an ideal hostess.

Euchre Party

Mrs. Thomas Mendenhall Boulware has long been noted as a hostess so it was with a thrill of pleasure and the knowledge of a good time in store that each of the guests ended their way to the beautiful home Wednesday afternoon where a Military Euchre was given in honor of Mrs. Aaron Boulware and Mark Hoblett of Lincoln Ill., Mrs. Amundson of Rose Bud Mont., and Mrs. C. S. McKinney of St. Louis.

The house was a mass of potted plants and spring blossoms. Carnations, Sweet peas and Jonquils in every nook and corner made you forget the snow outside and imagine spring had opened her portals and brought perfume and flowers to welcome you. And would you believe it the son was there at least make his first bow to Monroe's four hundred who received him with open arms on account of his charming mother who was Miss Elizabeth Boulware before her marriage. The ladies played the game with real sport until Mrs. Boulware served a delicious luncheon need we say they did it justice and proclaimed it a feast for the Gods. Tennyson has said "A thing of beauty is a joy forever" after attending the party we agree with the poet. Each of us departed with regret that it was so soon over. But in memories casket we will drop another gem. Mrs. Boulware conquered all by her gracious manner and genuine hospitality.

The things of life

Are made worth while
By the glad hand shake
And a welcome smile.

Select Iowa seed oats for sale by Green & Tooley.

Harry Fuqua of Nash, Okla., is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fuqua.

E. J. McCullough has been appointed division lineman at Macon for the Bell telephone Company.

The Young ladies of the Methodist Church will have a bake sale Saturday March 11th. at Wade & Dawson's Store.

Foxall

James Foxall an old resident of this vicinity died at his home last Friday, Feb. 25, 1916, at the age of 95 years. Deceased was born in England in 1821 and came with his parents, James and Mary Elizabeth Foxall to America when 9 years old. On April 21st, 1875 he married Sarah Dery. Four children of this union survive, namely: Henry, Clarence, Dora May and Elizabeth McKee. Deceased was converted in 1841 and became a member of the Methodist Church. In later years he became a member of the Church of Jesus Christ.

Funeral services conducted by Rev Sam P. Gott at Mt. Vernon Sunday afternoon after which the remains were laid to rest in Mt. Vernon cemetery.

Notice To Teachers

The regular teacher's examinations will be held at Paris High School Building March 3rd and 4th. The order of subjects will be given to the teachers on the morning of the 3rd. Lee D. Ash,
County Superintendent of Schools.

Redman-Tuley

The wedding of Miss Ruth Tuley and Lloyd Redman was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage last Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The wedding is the culmination of a romance which started during their childhood.

Only the members of the immediate families were present to witness the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Tuley of near this city. She is of a sweet disposition and charming personality, is a graduate of the Monroe City High School and an active member of the Methodist church. She was dressed in a handsome suit of Copenhagen blue, with accessories to match, and wore a bouquet of white carnations and ferns.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Redman, living south of the city, and is a young man of sterling character, upright and industrious.

They will go to housekeeping on the Hugh Ford farm southeast of this city.

Select Iowa seed oats for sale by Green & Tooley.

Our spring Stetson's will arrive this week. Better have yours put aside for you now.—Hanly & Green.

We have not advanced the price on the best dollar overall in the country. The Lakin McKays are here in all sizes at \$1.00—Hanly & Green.

Rev. R. O. Triplett underwent an operation in the hospital at Keokuk Monday. This is the third or fourth operation in the family in the past three years. We trust he will soon be entirely recovered.

Mrs. R. O. Cranston underwent an operation at St. Elizabeth hospital in Hannibal yesterday morning. Dr. Pipkin was present and he says Mrs. Cranston is getting along nicely. Her friends hope she will soon be able to return home.

Marvin Yowell and wife returned Sunday from Virginia, Ill. where they visited Dr. Bert Yowell and family. They expect to commence housekeeping on the Wm. Young farm near Sharpsburg the last of the week.